

***City of Groveland***  
Workshop Minutes  
**City Council**  
Monday, March 21, 2016

The Groveland City Council held a workshop on Monday, March 21, 2016 in the E.L. Puryear Building located at 243 S. Lake Avenue. Mayor Tim Loucks called the meeting to order at 6:07pm with the following members present: Vice Mayor Karen McMican, Council Members Mike Radzik and Dina Sweatt. City officials present were: City Attorney Anita Geraci-Carver, City Manager Redmond Jones, Acting City Clerk Lisa Cortese, and Sergeant-at-Arms Chief M. Smith Tennyson. Board Member John Griffin was absent.

**AGENDA**

**1. Discussion of Council Member Absences**

*Council discussed bringing back a Resolution or Ordinance that addresses Council absences with the following suggestions:*

- *If a Council member is able to be physically present but due to an illness and/or special needs the City will pay up to not to exceed \$180.00 for transportation for a Council member to and from a regular or special council meeting, city council workshop, or CRA meeting.*
- *If illness of a council members' immediate family member, then the council member can attend meeting via skype.*
- *Council member vacation would require advance notice, if none given then at the discretion of Council.*
- *Funeral of immediate family or extended family the council member than can attend via skype if he or she chooses to do so.*

*Skype option would be pending additional system upgrades to existing sound system. Staff will look into additional costs for this option.*

**ADJOURNMENT**

*Chairman Tim Loucks adjourned the meeting at 6:45pm.*



Attest:

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Tim Loucks, Mayor

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Lisa Cortese, Acting City Clerk